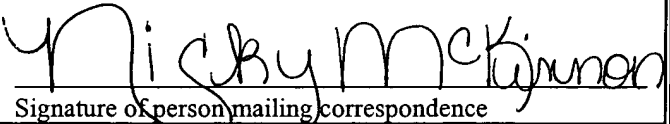


#1631

PATENT

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 06132/033003

Certificate of Mailing: Date of Deposit: <u>June 27, 2000</u>	
I hereby certify under 37 CFR 1.8(a) that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.	
Nicky McKinnon	
Printed name of person mailing correspondence	Signature of person mailing correspondence

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Thomas J. Chambers *et al.*

Art Unit: 1631

Serial No.: 09/121,587

Examiner: M. Zeman

Filed: July 23, 1998

Title: Chimeric Flavivirus Vaccines

RECEIVED

JUL 11 2000

TECH CENTER 1600/2900

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136, applicants hereby petition that the period for replying to the Examiner's Action mailed December 27, 1999 be extended for three months to and including June 27, 2000.

07/05/2000 BHABTEW 00000050 09121587

01 FC:217

435.00 OP



Enclosed is a check for \$435.00 for the required fee. If there are any additional charges or any credits, please apply them to Deposit Account No. 03-2095.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: June 27, 2000

Susan M. Michaud
Paul T. Clark Susan M. Michaud
Reg. No. 30,162 Reg. No. 42,885

Clark & Elbing LLP
176 Federal Street
Boston, MA 02110
Telephone: 617-428-0200
Facsimile: 617-428-7045

\\NTSERVER\documents\06132\06132.033003 Petition for Three-Month Extension of Time.wpd